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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:**Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-002283**Date Inspected:** 06-May-2008**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 630**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1530**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China**CWI Name:** Fu Yu Hong**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** OBG**Summary of Items Observed:**

CALTRANS Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Alfredo Acuna was present for the fabrication scheduled for this project at the ZPMC facility in Shanghai, China for the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge.

The QA inspector performed 15 % ultrasonic verifications (UT) on the partial penetration weld (PJP) after ZPMC representative verifications were completed on the deck panel DP-055-001 weld joints 1 and 2, and DP-002-002 weld joint 1 and 2. Locations with less than 80 % depth of penetration were reported. The QA inspector had a conversation with ABF representative Warren Buehler. The QA inspector informed Mr. Warren Buehler that ZPMC overlooked seven indications with less than 80 % of depth of penetration on the deck panel DP-055-001 weld joints 1 and 2 and that the QA inspector was recommending the issue of incident report for this matter. See UT report TL_6027 generated on this date.

Summary of Conversations:

As noted above.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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Quality Assurance Inspector

Reviewed By: Cuellar,Robert

QA Reviewer